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## NCEAS Fall 2020 Seminar Series

## The Cascading Impacts of the COVID-19 Pandemic on Wildlife

In celebration of our 25th Anniversary, the National Center for Ecological Analysis and Synthesis (NCEAS) invites you to join us for a fascinating talk by Dr. Kaitlyn Gaynor, Postdoctoral Researcher at NCEAS, who will discuss the complex socio-ecological dynamics linking people, wildlife, and ecosystems experiencing the shock of coronavirus SARS-CoV-2, with a particular focus on changing patterns of recreation and wildlife responses in US National Parks. The coronavirus pandemic has placed the relationship between humans and wildlife under a global spotlight. By studying how human-wildlife interactions are changing in the strange circumstances of 2020, we can better tease apart these complex dynamics and plan for more effective conservation and management in the future.

## Thursday, December 10, 2020 | 12 PM to 1 PM PST

## Register **here** for this free event



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